

The Daily Courant.

Thursday, February 25. 1703.

From the Paris Gazette, dated Feb. 24.

Rome, January 30.

THE Calamities with which the Neighbouring Provinces have been afflicted, and which threatned this City, have produc'd a general Disposition to Repentance, and quickned the Devotions of all sorts of People. The Pope, accompany'd by the two Cardinals of his Palace, went on the 26th instant, to visit the Sick in the Hospital of the Incurables; He comforted them, distributed Alms among them, and in Person administred the Extreame Unction to a Dying Woman. After which he went to the Churches of St. John Lateran and St. Mary Major. On the 27th he Confess'd several Persons in the Cathedral Church of St. Peter. On the 28th he gave the Communion to all his Domesticks, and assisted at an Exhortation made by Father Cassini a Capuchin, and one of the Preachers of the Palace. The same day he serv'd 12 Poor People at Table, and gave each of them a Medal. He has sent a great Sum of Money to be charitably distributed among the Poor of those Places that were ruin'd by the Earthquake. The Duke d'Uzeda Ambassador extraordinary of Spain, receiv'd by the last Courier, the Cross of the Order of Knighthood of the Holy Ghost, with Permission to wear it; and accordingly Cardinal Janson, who is a Prelate of that Order, will very shortly put it about his Neck with the usual Ceremonies.

From the Amsterdam Gazette, dated Feb. 26.

Venice, Feb. 10. On Monday last the Count de Berka, Ambassador of his Imperial Majesty, made a Visit to Signior Delphino, who will set out in a few days on his Embassy to Vienna. We have felt two Motions of an Earthquake in this City, but they did no damage. General Bagni is arriv'd here from the Imperial Army; and will shortly set out from hence to return to Vienna. General Staremborg causes the New Works for strengthening the Fortifications of Ostiglia to be carried on with the utmost Diligence; and has taken care that the other Posts remaining in the hands of the Imperialists, be kept in a good Condition of Defence; particularly the City of Mirandola, whither he has lately sent a Convoy of all sorts of Ammunition and Provisions. The French have fortified Bondanella, and are laying a Bridge

over the Secchia in order to form the Siege of Berfello, which has not offer'd to capitulate yet, though it has been bombarded above a Month. The Duke of Vendome is at Guastalla, where he is drawing together some Troops, with which he intends to form a flying Camp, in order to some Enterprize. The French, besides the 18000 Recruits out of their own Country, expect 3 or 4000 Swiss, which are levying by the Cantons for the Defence of the Milaneze.

Falmouth, Feb. 20. Yesterday fail'd hence the Mercurius and Golden Lyon of Flushing, Privateers a Cruising to the Eastward; and this day the Patience of Bristol came in here, with some other Vessels laden with Timber for the Queen's Dock.

Shields, Feb. 20. Here continues still in our Harbour near upwards of 100 Sail of Coasters, Victuallers and Colliers, being detain'd by the Imbargo.

Plymouth, Feb. 21. This day came in Her Majesty's Ships the Loo, Hastings, and Suffolk, and under their Convoy a great number of Coasters and Colliers: And this Afternoon several Ships from Dublin arriv'd here, and other places from Ireland; as also several English Ships bound for Holland, with some Ships from the West-Indies: At the same time came in here the Loretto of Dunkirk, sent in by a Dutch Privateer, as also some other French Prizes from Falmouth.

Dartmouth, Feb. 21. Last night passed by this Harbour several Ships to the Eastward, under Convoy of two Men of War. And this Afternoon came before our Harbour a Dutch Man of War, in order to Convoy for Holland a Dutch Brigantine, as also four or five French Prizes sent in here some time ago by two Flushing Privateers, are since and fail'd.

Cowes, Feb. 22. Yesterday pass'd by our Roads for Spithead, above 80 Sail of Ships, under Convoy of three Men of War from Milford.

Weymouth, Feb. 22. Yesterday was brought in here by the Conqueror Galley, a French Ship call'd the St. Jacques of 120 Tons, laden with Wine and Brandy, &c. from Bourdeaux.

Harwich, Feb. 23. Since my last all the Ships remaining in our Harbour fail'd, and last night came in two Hoyes with Stores for Her Majesty's Navy, &c.

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London, Feb. 25. His Royal Highness Prince George, Lord High Admiral of England, attended by some of his Council, was pleas'd to go yesterday Morning about 11 a clock to the Navy-Office, and honour'd the Commissioners with his Presence, while the Current Business of the Day was transacted by them in the usual Methods of their Office; with which His Royal Highness seem'd very well satisfied.

ON Monday the First of March 1702, from 4 in the Evening to 8 (continuing the whole Week following from the same Hour) will be sold by Auction at the Blew-coat Coffee-house in *St. Switbin's Alley* near the Royal Exchange, the Stock of Goods of Mr. Thomas Jones late of the Royal Exchange, consisting of all sorts of the Richest Millenary Wares, viz. Rich Gold and Silver, Figur'd and Plain Ribbons, Girdles, Girdling, Garters, Fans, Gloves, White Thread Lace, Tippets, Muffs, Caps, Masks, Black Silks, French Necklaces, Neckcloths, &c. By Edward Millington. The Goods may be view'd four days before the Sale, from 1 to 4, at Mrs. Jones's House in *St. Peter's Alley* in *Cornhill*. Lifts of the Goods may be had at the place of Sale, and may be seen in most Coffee-Houses in *London* and *Westminster*.

AT the Turks-Head Coffee-House in *Essex-street* in the Strand near *Temple-Bar*, will be sold by Hand, every day in the Week, till all be sold off, a Collection of curious Original Paintings, &c. the Masters Name and price being put upon each Painting. Where constant Attendance is daily given, every day in the Week, for that purpose. Where any Gentlemen may have the Viewing of the same Paintings from 6 in the Morning till 10 at Night.

††† A Doctor in Physick, Cures all the Degrees, and Indispositions, in Venereal Persons; and by a most easie, safe, and expeditious Method: He likewise gives his Advice in all Diseases, and Prescribes a Cure. Dr. Harborough (a Graduate Physician) in Great Knight-Riders-Street, near Doctors-Commons.

On Monday next will be publish'd,

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This day is publish'd,

A New Voyage to New Holland, &c. in the Year 1699, wherein is describ'd the *Canary Islands*, *Isles of Mayo* and *St. Iago*, the Bay of *All Saints*, with the Forts and Town of *Babia* in *Brasil*, *C. Salvadore*, the Winds on the *Brasilian Coast*, *Abrablo Sholes*, a Table of all the Variations observ'd in this Voyage, Occurrences near the *Cape of Good Hope*, the Course to *New Holland*, *Shark Bay*, the *Isles* and *Coasts*, &c. of *New Holland*: Their Inhabitants, Customs, Manners and Trade, &c. Their *Coasts*, *Harbours*, *Soil*, *Beasts*, *Sea* and *Land Birds*, *Fish*, *Trees*, *Plants*, *Fruits*, &c. Illustrated with several Maps and Draughts. Also

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